

MEDIA GUIDE 2023









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ABOUT US

Protecting more than 125,000 residents and 3,400 businesses, the Northwest Fire District covers a 155-square mile area including the majority of the Town of Marana and areas of unincorporated Pima County.

Led by Fire Chief Brad Bradley, Northwest Fire District is internationally accredited, has an Insurance Service Office (ISO) Classification Rating of I, and is an innovative provider of all-hazards emergency response. These designations reflect our commitment to ensuring our community receives high-quality and cost-efficient fire, emergency medical, and prevention services.

Our mission to save lives, protect property, and care for our community is woven into the very fabric of the organization.

CORE

- Fire
- Emergency Medical Services
- Prevention

OPERATIONS

- Emergency Management
- Special Operations
 - Hazmat & Technical Rescue Team
 - Wildland
- · Health & Safety
- Community Assistance Program (CAP)
- Training Division

CONTACT

The Northwest Fire District is committed to providing accurate and timely information to the public relating to emergency response, active scenes, special events, safety messaging and/or incident support.

Anne-Marie Braswell, Community Relations Manager

- (C) (520) 878-8575 (Text preferred)
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After hours, the Community Relations Manager and/or acting Public Information Officer will be notified of significant events.

PIO@nwfdaz.gov

During significant incidents or events, NWFD will utilize Twitter (@NorthwestFire) as a primary means of communication. Please check the social media outlet for information already released.









LOCATIONS

Northwest Fire District has eleven fire stations, a Training Center, and an Administration Complex.



NWFD ADMINISTRATION COMPLEX 13535 N MARANA MAIN ST



NWFD TRAINING CENTER 5125 W CAMINO DE FUEGO

MARANA, AZ 85653

TUCSON, AZ 85743

SOUTH BATTALION

STATION 330 1520 W ORANGE GROVE RD TUCSON, AZ 85704

STATION 331 4701 N LA CHOLLA BLVD TUCSON, AZ 85705

STATION 332 4151 W EL CAMINO DEL CERRO TUCSON, AZ 85745

STATION 333 2821 W INA RD TUCSON, AZ 85741

STATION 335 3220 N CAMINO DE OESTE TUCSON, AZ 85745

ENGINE 342*

HOUSED AT STATION 333

NORTH BATTALION

STATION 334 8165 N WADE RD MARANA, AZ 85743

STATION 336 13475 N MARANA MAIN ST MARANA, AZ 85653

STATION 337 13931 N DOVE MOUNTAIN BLVD MARANA, AZ 85658

STATION 338 8475 N STAR GRASS DR TUCSON, AZ 85742



STATION 341 10350 W TANGERINE RD MARANA, AZ 85658

*EN342 COVERS TRAINING, TRUCK MAINTENANCE, OR OTHER ACTIVITIES THAT COULD CAUSE AN ENGINE COMPANY TO BE OUT-OF-SERVICE OR OUT OF THEIR AREA. WHEN THERE AREN'T ANY SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES, WHICH IS UNCOMMON, EN342 MOVES TO AREAS THAT ARE EXPERIENCING HIGH CALL LOADS OR RESPONDS TO EMERGENCY CALLS OUT OF THE BUSIER STATIONS.



AUTOMATIC AID

In 2020, the Northwest Fire District, Golder Ranch Fire District, and Tucson Fire Department implemented an Automatic Aid agreement. Through this partnership, the closest available response unit from any of the three departments will respond to a call, regardless of the jurisdictional boundaries. NWFD and GRFD began the partnership in 2015, with TFD joining in 2020.

You will often see crews from the different agencies on Special Operations incidents, like swiftwater and technical rescues, with support units like Air Power Light and Rehab.

When issuing information to the media, NWFD will provide information for incidents in the District's jurisdiction. On major events or incidents, the District will work with TFD and GRFD to provide information.

PREVENTION

The Prevention Services Division is committed to protecting the people and property within the Northwest Fire District from fire and other hazardous conditions through active involvement with our citizens and community partners. This is accomplished through focusing on the development and delivery of comprehensive fire prevention programs including engineering/plans review, fire and life safety inspections, active code enforcement, and fire investigations.

With growth in our District expected to continue throughout 2022, our Fire Inspectors and Plans Examiner are managing an increased workload to keep the future of our community safe.

PUBLIC EDUCATION

Our Community Relations and Public Education Services Division offers a wide range of programs and safety information to District residents, including:

- Fire & Life Safety Lessons
- Car Seat Inspections
- · Hands-Only CPR/First Aid
- Helmet Fit Checks (for all ages)
- · Babysitter Program
- Station Tours



